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FOR: CRITICAL AND SUPERCRITICAL
CLEANING OF HYDROCARBON-CONTAINING
MATERIALS

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RESPONSE TO 24 MAY 2005 ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO 4 OCTOBER 2004 NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Examiner Markoff:

In response to the Election Restriction Requirement dated 24 May 2005 and supplemental Response to Non-Final Office Action date 4 October 2004, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks:

SUMMARY OF NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Claims	
Claims 1-24	§112, ¶1 - missing steps
Claims 2, 11, 18 and 22	§112, ¶2 - "consisting of comprising"
Claims 14-16	§ 112, ¶2 - "a process of any of the claim 10"
Claims 1-2, 4-11, 13-18, 20-22, and 24	§102(b) - CFSI publication
Claims 3, 12, 19 and 23	§ 103(a) - CFSI publication